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Ms. Paula Bisson
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Dear Ms. Bisson:

Please find enclosed the attachment to the Ed Fader letter of 11-2-88. If you have any questions please feel free to call Ron Helgersen at (818) 847-6927, or Michael Teubner at (702) 734-3364.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marilyn J. Littlepage".

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for

Ron Helgersen

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cc: Ron Helgersen
Michael Teubner

Enclosure

**POTENTIALLY RESPONSIBLE PARTIES FOR
BURBANK GROUND-WATER CONTAMINATION**

1. 2L Screen Printing Company has been at 2513 Ontario Street since 1981. The company has used PCE and TCE in its printing business. Spills of PCE and TCE have been documented by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board (CRWQCB), but quantities of the spills are unknown. The CRWQCB has taken regulatory action in the form of a Consent Decree against the company. Shallow auger testing revealed 1,125 mg/kg PCE and 12 mg/kg TCE at 1-foot depth, according to CRWQCB records. The CRWQCB has recommended that additional shallow borings be done near the storage site.
2. A&H Plating, Inc., has been at 1837 Victory Place since 1970. The company has used PCE in the past, and TCE is presently used in the company's plating business. Spills of PCE and volatile organic compounds (VOCs) have been reported by the CRWQCB. Poor housekeeping and overflow into unbermed areas have been noted by CRWQCB inspections.
3. Accessory Plating has been located at 3000 Empire Avenue since 1976. The company uses TCE in its plating operations. According to CRWQCB records an unknown amount of TCE has been spilled at the facility.
4. Adler Screw Products, Inc., has been at 3047 North California Street since 1972. Poor housekeeping and spills of Stoddard solvent and cutting oil have been reported by the CRWQCB. Soil sampling has been required by the CRWQCB, but analytical results have not yet been recorded.
5. Aeroquip Corporation was listed at 3015 Winona Street in 1985. The site is now abandoned. The company manufactured aeronautical equipment and hydraulic systems. Traces of TCE were detected below tank T-2 as reported by LA County file No.I-12443-E.
6. Cardona Manufacturing has been at 1869 Victory Place since 1970. Cardona Manufacturing is a machine shop for air-conditioning parts. According to CRWQCB records the company uses Stoddard solvent that may contain PCE, TCE, and TCA. The company was noted by the CRWQCB as having periodic drainage to the street, and the drainage may contain solvent, based on CRWQCB records.

7. Comco, Inc., has been at 2151 North Lincoln Street since 1979. The company is a small machine shop that uses TCE and TCA. The CRWQCB noted interior spillage of unknown quantities.
8. Cordell Industries has been at 3079 North Lima Street since 1960. Cordell is a machine shop that has been known to have had spills of cleaning solvents and petroleum products based on CRWQCB records.
9. Cricket West Cleaners has been located at 2320 N. Keeler since 1970. The facility has had an air discharge permit for PCE since 1970, for its dry cleaning business. The CRWQCB has required soil borings to be done based on PCE discharges outside the building.
10. De King Screw Products has been at 3330 Burton Avenue since 1964. The company manufactures screw machine products and uses Stoddard solvent in its processes. The CRWQCB has records of spills of solvents and petroleum products. The CRWQCB has also required soil borings, but no analyses have been recorded yet.
11. Gerald L. Crawford has been at 3031 Thornton Avenue since 1985. Crawford is a commercial letterpress printer. The CRWQCB has noted spills of TCE, PCE, and TCA, petroleum products, other volatile organics, and metal-bearing acids and bases. Soil borings have been required but no analytical results have been rendered.
12. Janco Corporation has been at 3111 Winona Avenue since 1947. The company manufactures switching mechanisms for the military, commercial, and aerospace industries. Janco uses TCE and TCA in its processes and has had spills of unknown amounts of TCE and TCA from a leaking clarifier based on CRWQCB records. The CRWQCB has required soil borings but no results have been recorded yet.
13. Novacap, which manufactures electrical compounds, has been at 2221 Empire since 1980. The company uses TCE in its processes and stores the solvent outside in 55-gallon barrels. A Consent Decree has been issued to Novacap because some of the barrels of TCE were leaking behind building 2, based on CRWQCB records. Soil borings revealed PCE at 0.217 mg/kg.
14. Ocean Technology has been at 2835 North Naomi Street since 1975. The site was occupied by a hydraulics research company from 1960 to 1973. Ocean Technology manufactures signal processing systems and software and airspeed/altitude simulation equipment. The company is being investigated for leaking underground storage tanks. Soil analyses have revealed a maximum of 520 mg/kg of TCA at a depth of 30 feet, based on CRWQCB records.

15. Pacific Airmotive Corporation (PAC) has been at 2940 North Hollywood Way since 1931. PAC manufactures aircraft parts and is listed by the CRWQCB for having had spills of TCE and leakage from a barrel storage area. The company has also been found to have a leaking underground storage tank and to have improperly closed underground solvent piping. Soil samples showed TCE contamination, and more borings are being required by the CRWQCB.
16. Peverick Engineering has been located at 7410 San Fernando in Sun Valley since 1959. Peverick has been identified by the CRWQCB as having had PCE spills. Soil borings reveal 180mg/kg of PCE.
17. Premier Dry Cleaning has been at 3238 North San Fernando since 1986. The company is a dry cleaner that uses PCE and Stoddard solvent. The company has been identified by the CRWQCB as having had spills and has had a Consent Decree issued.
18. Quality Heat Treating Company is at 3305 Burton Avenue. The CRWQCB noted that the company has unpermitted sump discharge to the street, a barrel storage area, and a vapor degreaser.
19. Royal Die Casting has been at 1816 North Keystone Street since 1977. Royal Die Casting uses TCE in its processes and has been noted by the CRWQCB for leaking barrels, poor management of materials, and discharge of contaminated water to the street. The CRWQCB has required soil samples to be taken, but no analysis is available yet.
20. Sargent Industries - Kahr Bearing has been at 3010 North San Fernando since 1962. Kahr Bearing manufactures a wide range of bearings for the aircraft, aerospace, and marine industries. A Consent Decree has been issued to clean up a TCE spill and a soil-gas survey has been requested by the CRWQCB. Testing reveals contamination of soil to a depth of 15 feet.
21. Sheffield Manufacturing, Incorporated, has been at 9131 Glenoaks Boulevard since 1973. Sheffield was reported by the CRWQCB to have had spills of TCE and PCE, petroleum products, and other volatile organic compounds. The CRWQCB is requiring soil borings.
22. Sierracin-Harrison has been at 3020 Empire Avenue since 1966 and is a manufacturer of metallic seals. The company has been issued Consent Decrees by the CRWQCB for leaking oil drums and for a leaking solvent degreaser. Five to eight years ago, the company removed contaminated soil, and has been required by the CRWQCB to conduct soil borings.
23. Space-Lok, Incorporated, has been at 2526 N. Ontario Street since 1962 and is a manufacturer of quick release pins. The company has been issued Consent Decrees for PCE, waste oil, and petroleum hydrocarbon discharges to the soil.

24. Stainless Steel Products, Incorporated (SSP), has been at 2980 North San Fernando since 1951. SSP manufactures ducting systems for aircraft and turbine engines. The company had, at the time of the survey, 750 gallons of PCE on hand and has removed an underground storage tank as a result of soil analysis; TCE and TCA both were found in soil samples based on CRWQCB records.
25. Surface Finishing, Incorporated, has been at 2501 North Ontario Street since 1951 and does metal coating and allied services. The company has had a spill of TCE and PCE of unknown quantity and has been issued a Consent Decree by the CRWQCB for the spill. The company has four underground storage tanks, and the CRWQCB requires that the company take 40-foot soil borings.
26. Twiss Heat Treating, Inc., has been at 2503 North Ontario Street since 1947 and does commercial heat treating of metal parts. The CRWQCB notes that Twiss has an ongoing spillage problem. Soil samples show TCE contamination that increases with depth. More drilling and evaluation have been required by the CRWQCB.
27. Valley Enameling Company has been at 2509 North Ontario Street since 1951. The CRWQCB noted that Valley operated a TCA degreaser for 26 years. A shallow boring near a storage area showed contamination to a depth of 25 feet based on CRWQCB records.
28. Weber Aircraft, a division of Kidde Company, has been at 2820 North Ontario Street since 1951 and manufactures aircraft equipment. The CRWQCB has requested a workplan for ground-water investigation. The company has multiple underground storage tanks and has been reported by CRWQCB as having had TCE and PCE spills.